



Timeline for the Development of the Continuum Framework and RFP

This timeline represents the Department's best estimate of the schedule that shall be followed. The Department reserves the right, at its sole discretion, to adjust this schedule as it deems necessary. Notification of any adjustment to the proposed timeline shall be posted on the Department's website at www.dhr.state.al.us.

Step	Date Due	Responsible Person(s)
Finalization of Sub-group Representatives	September 28, 2005	Carolyn Lapsley, Faye Nelson, Gary Mitchell
Report from Populations Sub-group Due	October 21, 2005	Carolyn Lapsley
Report from Services Sub-group Due	November 3, 2005	TBA **
Report from Program Design Sub-group Due	November 15, 2005	Glenda Peters
Report from Special Considerations Sub-group Due	November 21, 2005	Sandy Holmes
Report from Costs/Contracts, Collaboration and Barriers Sub-groups Finalized	December 7, 2005	Susan Ward, Margaret Bonham, Linda Stephens
Second Round of Meetings with Sub-groups Completed	March 30, 2006	Sub-committee Chairs
Workgroups Formed from Sub-groups	April 15, 2006	Carolyn Lapsley, Paul Butler, Susan Ward, Gary Mitchell, Starr Stewart
Post Overall Work Plan on Website	June 15, 2006	Starr Stewart
Final Draft of Reports Posted on Website for Comments	June 30, 2006	Gary Mitchell
Provider Meeting (Auditorium)	July 13, 2006 10:00 AM	Gary Mitchell
RFP Formatted and Approved by Legal	August 01, 2006	Gary Mitchell, Starr Stewart
Provider Meeting (Auditorium)	September 14, 2006 10:00 AM	Gary Mitchell
RFP Issued	October 03, 2006	Starr Stewart
Vendors Conference (Auditorium)	October 15, 2006 10:00 AM	Starr Stewart
Q&A Posted on Website	October 30, 2006	Starr Stewart
Proposals Due	November 15, 2006	Providers
Proposals Scored	November 30, 2006	Starr Stewart
Selections Made and Announced on Website	December 15, 2006	Starr Stewart
Contracts Awarded	October 01, 2007	Susan Ward

****TBA - To be announced**